

**Greater Fall River Vocational School District
Diman Regional Vocational Technical High School**

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Diman PTO Notes

May 7, 2025

6:30 PM

HYBRID MEETING FORMAT

(Room 251/Google Meet)

google.meet.com/imz-ngkm-rcs

Meeting Called to Order

Financial Report

- Checking account was charged a fee for a bounced check
- Scholarship check has not cleared yet
- Check from mattress fundraiser has bounced for insufficient funds . Lisa has followed up with company and we are waiting on a bank check.

Parent Liaison

- Mary Elizabeth shared that Tina Bell shared information with parents who attended accepted student night and collected email addresses from parents. This may help with attendance/interest in parent groups.
- Next FAC meeting (May 13) will invite all these new parents to share information about what each parent group entails.
- Mary Elizabeth is calling families to gather data about Aspen usage.

Paint Night Update

- No update due to scheduling of a date around artist schedule Table for next school year

Araujo's Nurseries Possible Fundraising Update

- Hummingbird patio planter event by Araujo's. Available date is June 24th. It is \$50 per planter. School gets \$10 per plant. Araujo's supplies everything. People can bring their own gloves and create their own planter to take home. Tina will create a flyer to share with families. Araujo's has created a Facebook event, but PTO is not listed just Diman. Cheryl will contact them to add PTO to the event and Lisa will send flyer after Tina creates it. Payment will be collected by Araujo's and they will cut Diman PTO a check based off of attendance. "Tickets" purchased through Araujo's directly.

Music of Our Lives: Possible Fundraiser Update

- Redoing package and will send over information about booking an event. Once packages are shared, PTO can determine which package they would like and then determine prices of tickets. Profit is based off decided ticket price.
- DJ sets up and game show begins. Games last between 1-2 hours. Dancing can be an option after.
- PTO can also create raffles, as an option.

Car Show Update

- Possibility of having it sooner than end of September due to weather not being great the past few years. Tentative date for September 7th, 2025. Use of facility will be completed by Lisa.

Craft Fair Update

- New date this upcoming year will tentatively be November 8th instead of November 1. Change in date is due to Halloween being the night before. Cheryl will check local craft fairs to see if the dates conflict with any others. Use of facility will be completed by Lisa for November 7th and 8th.

Senior Events

- Monday June 2 is rehearsal at 11am (Monday) Tina will attend.
- Tuesday June 3 is Awards Night at 6pm. Waiting for list for scholarships (May 6th was deadline to submit from students). Tina can make service awards. Does not necessarily have to be a student who applied for a scholarship (Service Award: Most service hours in 4 years). \$400 if one student Scholarship amounts will be based off of number of applicants.
- Graduation June 4th at 6pm at Durfee. Senior gifts will be Class of 2025 keychains. Need list of seniors to place order.

New Business

Open Discussion

Meeting Adjourned